89 degrees 49 minutes 15 seconds east 1,214.93 feet; thence north 85 degrees 49 minutes 39 seconds east 1,240.11 feet to a point on the east line of said section 14 which bears north 00 degrees 13 minutes 58 seconds west 1,404.31 feet from the southeast corner of said section 14.

Approved August 1, 1955.

Private Law 244

CHAPTER 451

August 1,1955 [H. R. 896]

AN ACT

To provide preference right to certain land in Alaska to Joseph Booth of Anchorage, Alaska, and for other purposes.

Joseph Booth

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the south half northwest quarter, south half northeast quarter of section 36, township 3 south, range 15 west, Seward meridian shall be open to homestead entry under the appropriate public land laws but all entries and patents hereunder shall be subject to a reservation to the Territory of Alaska of all minerals in the lands so entered and patented, and all minerals so reserved shall be subject to disposition under the same laws as other minerals reserved to the Territory: Provided, That Joseph Booth of Anchorage, Alaska, shall be given preference right of entry on the land released to be considered as part of his homestead application, Anchorage serial 023958: Provided further, That the Territory of Alaska shall be allowed to make in lieu selection for the land released.

Approved August 1, 1955.

Private Law 245 CHAPTER 452

August 1, 1955 [H. R. 897]

AN ACT

To provide preference right to certain land in Alaska to Robert Henry Soyk of Kenai, Alaska, and for other purposes.

Robert H. Soyk.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the east half southeast quarter of section 36, township 3 south, range 15 west, Seward meridian shall be open to homestead entry under the appropriate public land laws but all entries and patents hereunder shall be subject to the reservation to the Territory of Alaska of all minerals in the lands so entered and patented, and all minerals so reserved shall be subject to disposition under the same laws as other minerals reserved to the Territory: Provided, That Robert Henry Soyk of Kenai, Alaska, shall be given preference right of entry on the land released to be considered as part of his homestead application, Anchorage serial 022329: Provided further, That the Territory of Alaska shall be allowed to make in lieu selection for the land released.

Approved August 1, 1955.

Private Law 246

Nugust 1, 1955

AN ACT to certain land To provide preference right to certain land in Alaska to Patrick Harold Johnson of Anchor Point, Alaska, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Patrick H. John-United States of America in Congress assembled, That the west half northwest quarter of section 36, township 4 south, range 15 west, Seward meridian shall be open to homestead entry under the appropriate public land laws but all entries and patents hereunder shall be subject to a reservation to the Territory of Alaska of all minerals in the lands so entered and patented, and all minerals so reserved shall be subject to disposition under the same laws as other minerals reserved to the Territory: *Provided*, That Patrick Harold Johnson of Anchor Point, Alaska, shall be given preference right of entry on the land released to be considered as part of his homestead application, Anchorage serial O21580: *Provided further*, That the Territory of Alaska shall be allowed to make in lieu selection for the land released.

Approved August 1, 1955.

Private Law 247

CHAPTER 454

AN ACT

To provide preference right to certain land in Alaska to Bert Arthur Paraday of Anchor Point, Alaska, and for other purposes.

August 1, 1955 [H. R. 904]

Bert A. Paraday.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the north half southwest quarter of section 36, township 4 south, range 15 west, Seward meridian, shall be open to homestead entry under the appropriate public land laws but all entries and patents hereunder shall be subject to a reservation to the Territory of Alaska of all minerals in the lands so entered and patented, and all minerals so reserved shall be subject to disposition under the same laws as other minerals reserved to the Territory: Provided, That Bert Arthur Paraday of Anchor Point, Alaska, shall be given preference right of entry on the land released to be considered as part of his homestead application, Anchorage serial 02560: Provided further, That the Territory of Alaska shall be allowed to make in lieu selection for the land released.

Approved August 1, 1955.

Private Law 248

CHAPTER 455

AN ACT

To provide preference right to certain land in Alaska to Carl E. Robinson of Anchor Point, Alaska, and for other purposes.

August 1,1955 [H. R. 905]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the north half north half of section 36, township 3 south, range 15 west, Seward meridian shall be open to homestead entry under the appropriate public land laws but all entries and patents hereunder shall be subject to a reservation to the Territory of Alaska of all minerals in the lands so entered and patented, and all minerals so reserved shall be subject to disposition under the same laws as other minerals reserved to the Territory: Provided, That Carl E. Robinson of Anchor Point, Alaska, shall be given preference right of entry on the land released to be considered as part of his homestead application, Anchorage serial 023957: Provided further, That the Territory of Alaska shall be allowed to make in lieu selection for the land released.

Approved August 1, 1955.

Carl E. Robinson.